The right half of the spread features a complex, abstract background. It has a marbled texture with swirling patterns of deep purple, magenta, and black. Scattered throughout are numerous dark, circular shapes of varying sizes, resembling bubbles or ink droplets. The overall effect is organic and textured.

As we made this album, we often thought about our band's origin, even before it was called Linkin Park. Through many twists and turns, the times have changed, our lives have changed, and the faces have changed. But what has stayed consistent is the desire to create music which moves us and the hope that, upon sharing it, it moves others as well. Thank you for being a part of this journey with us, starting From Zero.

**LINKIN PARK**



## FROM ZERO (INTRO)

### THE EMPTINESS MACHINE

Your blades are sharpened with precision | Flashing your favorite point of view | I know you're waiting in the distance | Just like you always do | Just like you always do | Already pulling me in | Already under my skin | And I know exactly how this ends, I | Let you cut me open | Just to watch me bleed | Gave up who I am for who you wanted me to be | Don't know why I'm hoping | For what I won't receive | Falling for the promise of | The emptiness machine | The emptiness machine | Going around like a revolver | It's been decided how we lose | 'Cause there's a fire under the altar | I keep on lying to | I keep on lying to | Already pulling me in | Already under my skin | And I know exactly how this ends, I | Let you cut me open | Just to watch me bleed | Gave up who I am for who you wanted me to be | Don't know why I'm hoping | For what I won't receive | Falling for the promise of | The emptiness machine | I only wanted to be part of something | I only wanted to be part of, part of | I only wanted to be part of something | I only wanted to be part of, part of | I only wanted to be part of something | I only wanted to be part | I let you cut me open | Just to watch me bleed | Gave up who I am for who you wanted me to be | Don't know why I'm hoping | So fucking naive | Falling for the promise of | The emptiness machine | The emptiness machine | [I only wanted to be part of something] | The emptiness machine | [I only wanted to be part of] | The emptiness machine

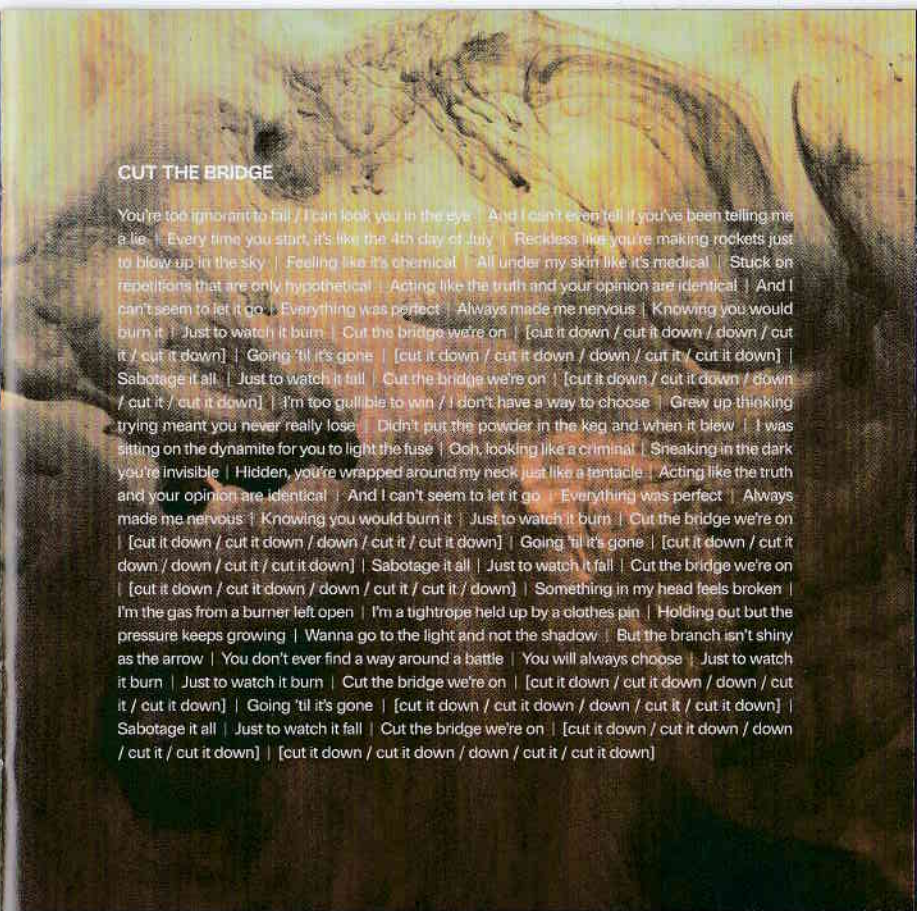






## CUT THE BRIDGE

You're too ignorant to fail / I can look you in the eye / And I can't even tell if you've been telling me a lie / Every time you start, it's like the 4th day of July / Reckless like you're making rockets just to blow up in the sky / Feeling like it's chemical / All under my skin like it's medical / Stuck on repetitions that are only hypothetical / Acting like the truth and your opinion are identical / And I can't seem to let it go / Everything was perfect / Always made me nervous / Knowing you would burn it / Just to watch it burn / Cut the bridge we're on / [cut it down / cut it down / down / cut it / cut it down] / Going 'til it's gone / [cut it down / cut it down / down / cut it / cut it down] / Sabotage it all / Just to watch it fall / Cut the bridge we're on / [cut it down / cut it down / down / cut it / cut it down] / I'm too gullible to win / I don't have a way to choose / Grew up thinking trying meant you never really lose / Didn't put the powder in the keg and when it blew / I was sitting on the dynamite for you to light the fuse / Ooh, looking like a criminal / Sneaking in the dark you're invisible / Hidden, you're wrapped around my neck just like a tentacle / Acting like the truth and your opinion are identical / And I can't seem to let it go / Everything was perfect / Always made me nervous / Knowing you would burn it / Just to watch it burn / Cut the bridge we're on / [cut it down / cut it down / down / cut it / cut it down] / Going 'til it's gone / [cut it down / cut it down / down / cut it / cut it down] / Sabotage it all / Just to watch it fall / Cut the bridge we're on / [cut it down / cut it down / down / cut it / cut it down] / Something in my head feels broken / I'm the gas from a burner left open / I'm a tightrope held up by a clothes pin / Holding out but the pressure keeps growing / Wanna go to the light and not the shadow / But the branch isn't shiny as the arrow / You don't ever find a way around a battle / You will always choose / Just to watch it burn / Just to watch it burn / Cut the bridge we're on / [cut it down / cut it down / down / cut it / cut it down] / Going 'til it's gone / [cut it down / cut it down / down / cut it / cut it down] / Sabotage it all / Just to watch it fall / Cut the bridge we're on / [cut it down / cut it down / down / cut it / cut it down] / [cut it down / cut it down / down / cut it / cut it down]



## HEAVY IS THE CROWN

It's pouring in | You're laid on the floor again | One knock at the door and then | We both know  
how the story ends | You can't win if your white flag's out when the war begins | Aiming so high  
but swinging so low | Trying to catch fire but feeling so cold | Hold it inside and hope it won't  
show | I'm saying it's not but inside I know | Today's gonna be the day you notice | 'Cause I'm  
tired of explaining what the joke is | This is what you asked for | Heavy is the crown | Fire in  
the sunrise | Ashes raining down | Try to hold it in but | It keeps bleeding out | This is what  
you asked for | Heavy is the | Heavy is the crown | Turn to run | Now look what it's become |  
Outnumbered ten to one | Back then should've bit your tongue | 'Cause there's no turning back  
this path once it's begun | You're already on that list | Say you don't want what you can't resist |  
Waving that sword when the pen won't miss | Watch it all falling apart like this | This is what you  
asked for | Heavy is the crown | Fire in the sunrise | Ashes raining down | Try to hold it in but |  
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## OVER EACH OTHER

This is the letter that I / I didn't write | Looking for color in the / black and white | Skyscrapers we  
created | On shaky ground | And I'm trying to find my patience | But you won't let me breathe  
| And I'm not ever right | All we are is talking | Over each other | There's nothing underneath |  
It's all a waste of time | All we are is talking | Over each other | Reaching for satellites | But all  
along | Under your breath you're saying | That I was wrong / oh | The skyscrapers we created  
| Are coming down | And free falling to the pavement | 'Cause you won't let me breathe | And  
I'm not ever right | All we are is talking | Over each other | There's nothing underneath | It's all  
a waste of time | All we are is talking | Over each other | Oh, are we over each other | Oh, are  
we over each other | Oh | I can't go to sleep | I lie awake at night | I'm so tired of talking | Over  
each other | So say what's underneath | I want to see your side | We don't have to be talking |  
Over each other | Over each other | Over each other | Over each other







## CASUALTY

Let me out / set me free | I know all the secrets you keep | I / I won't be | I won't be your casualty  
| I got too complacent | Bleached in the eyes | Put through the paces but I | Got left behind |  
But I'm not running | 'Cause something's coming | It's only a matter of time | Let me out / set me  
free | I know all the secrets you keep | I / I won't be | I won't be your casualty | You drew the first  
blood | Like playing god | Closing the doors up while I'm | Fed to the dogs | But I'm not running  
| 'Cause something's coming | It's only a matter of time | Let me out / set me free | I know all  
the secrets you keep | I / I won't be | I won't be your casualty | It's only a matter of time | Stop |  
Telling me you're something that you're not | I can see the greed right in your eyes | Hanging on  
a barefaced lie | It's only a matter of time | Let me out / set me free | I know all the secrets you  
keep | I / I won't be | I won't be your casualty | I won't be your casualty | I know all the secrets  
you keep | I won't be your casualty

## OVERFLOW

We're all dressed up for a riot | Catching fire fighting fire | I can feel the pressure coming | End  
the world and push the button | [It's all the same to me] | We're going down, we're going down |  
We're going down, we're going down | [It's all the same to me] | We're going down, we're going  
down | We're going down, we're going down | Turning from a white sky | To a black hole |  
Turning from the sunlight | To a shadow, oh | I know I can't make it stop | I know I'm out of  
control | I keep on filling it up | To overflow | Looking up the sky is falling | I can hear the future  
calling | Ground is shaking as it opens up to pull me in | Fall into oblivion | We're going down,  
we're going down | We're going down, we're going down | [It's all the same to me] | We're going  
down, we're going down | We're going down, we're going down | Turning from a white sky | To  
a black hole | Turning from the sunlight | To a shadow, oh | I know I can't make it stop | I know  
I'm out of control | I keep on filling it up | To overflow

## TWO FACED

Get right | Last time I was hanging by a thread | Trying to say I'm not but I'm in it over my head  
| That's when I figured out where it led | Beginning to realize that you put me over the edge |  
Your truth's not rigid, your rules aren't fair | The dark's too vivid, the light's not there | I start to  
give in, but I can't bear | To put it all behind, I run into it blind like | Two faced | Caught in the  
middle | Caught in the middle | Too late | Counting to zero | Counting to zero | You should have  
recognized | It's too late for choosing sides | Two faced | Caught in the middle | Caught in the  
middle | Two faced | Last time you told me it wasn't true | And pointing every finger at things that  
you didn't do | So that's why I kept missing the clues | And never realized that the one that did it  
was you | Your truth's not rigid, your rules aren't fair | The dark's too vivid, the light's not there | I  
start to give in, but I can't bear | To put it all behind, I run into it blind like | Two faced | Caught in  
the middle | Caught in the middle | Too late | Counting to zero | Counting to zero | You should  
have recognized | It's too late for choosing sides | Two faced | Caught in the middle | Caught  
in the middle | Two faced | I can't hear myself think | Stop yelling at me







## STAINED

Hand on my mouth, I shouldn't have said it | Gave you a chance, already regret it | Trying so hard to be sympathetic | But I know where it's gonna go if I let it | And I let it | Knowing you're hiding what no one else sees | Close lipped smile 'cause there's blood on your teeth | What you forget you are gonna repeat | You don't get to make amends like your hand's still clean | Because you're stained | You try to hide the mark but it won't fade | You lie and lie like I was nothing | Pretend you're spotless | But I don't wash away | And now you're stained | Sweat in your hands while the time starts ticking | Tripping on words, lips starts slipping | Wanna wake from the nightmare you've been living | But we both know forgotten doesn't mean forgiven | Forgiven | Knowing you're hiding what no one else sees | Close lipped smile 'cause there's blood on your teeth | What you forget you are gonna repeat | You don't get to make amends like your hand's still clean | Because you're stained | You try to hide the mark but it won't fade | You lie and lie like I was nothing | Pretend you're spotless | But I don't wash away | And now you're stained | And someday | Knowing you're hiding what no one else sees | And someday | Close lipped smile over blood on your teeth | And someday | What you forget you are gonna repeat | Trying to make amends like your hand's still clean | But we both know that your hand's not clean | And someday | Your hands will be too red to hide the blame | You'll realize you had it coming | Pretend you're spotless | But I don't wash away | And now you're stained | And now you're stained | And now you're stained



## IGYEH

I give you everything I have | I'm cracking and opened wide | Dying for one drop | Your remedies  
hypnotize | I never say stop | And the clock keeps ticking / the rules aren't written | I'm trying  
to remember how to make up my mind | The clock keeps ticking / the rules aren't written |  
Forgotten doesn't mean that it's forgiven this time | I give you everything I have | All you give me  
is your ugliness | You're not as honest as you act | Just a devil with a god complex | I'm not the  
enemy | You make me out to be | And I'm so tired of this | Wishful thinking | Drowning, sinking  
| Left with nothing left | I give you everything I have | I write all the memories down | All over  
my skin | Hoping it'll snap me out | When this happens again | And the clock keeps ticking /  
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| Drowning, sinking | Left with nothing left | I give you everything I have | From now on I don't  
need you | From now on got amnesia

## GOOD THINGS GO

Feels like it's rained in my head for a hundred days | Stare in the mirror and I look for another face  
| And I get so tired of putting out fires and making up lies | Checking my eyes for some kinda light,  
but | Nothing's inside and it | Feels like it's rained in my head for a hundred days | And I | Say I  
hate you when I don't | Push you when you get too close | It's hard to laugh | When I'm the joke  
| But I can't do this on my | Only you can save me from my | Lack of self-control | Sometimes bad  
things take the place where good things go | I've asked for forgiveness a hundred times | Believed  
it myself when I halfway apologized | And it's not unfair I'm asking for prayers but | Nobody cares  
| Going nowhere like falling downstairs | While everyone stares | No one's there when I've asked  
for forgiveness a hundred times | And I | Say I hate you when I don't | Push you when you get  
too close | It's hard to laugh | When I'm the joke | But I can't do this on my | Only you can save  
me from my | Lack of self-control | Sometimes bad things take the place where good things go  
| No, I'm just taking a shot / ah | Maybe I'm just too eager / oh | Maybe I lost the plot / ha | I  
used to pity some people / I | Said they were missing a spine / yeah | Maybe the problem is ego  
/ maybe the | Maybe the problem is mine / really I'm fine | Don't get too intimate, don't get too  
curious | This is just feeling like it's not that serious | Stare at the ceiling / feeling delirious | Fuck  
all your empathy I want your fury 'cause I will just | Tell you I'm better then / better then | Spit out  
my medicine / medicine, ay | Drunk on adrenaline / -drenaline, ay | And I don't know why | Say  
I hate you when I don't | Push you when you get too close | It's hard to laugh / when I'm the joke  
| But I can't do this on my | Only you can save me from my lack of self-control | And I won't make  
excuses for the pain I caused us both | So thank you for always standing by me even though |  
Sometimes bad things take the place where good things go

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